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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Takayuki SUGAHARA

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Group Art Unit: 2613

Examiner: LEE, Y YOUNG

**For: APPARATUS FOR PROTECTION OF DATA REPRODUCTION
ACCORDING TO CONVEYED MEDIUM PROTECTION DATA, FIRST
AND SECOND APPARATUS PROTECTION DATA AND A FILM
CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM, TO DETERMINE WHETHER MAIN DATA
ARE REPRODUCED IN THEIR ENTIRETY, PARTIALLY, OR NOT AT
ALL AND A RANGE OF PROTECTION LEVEL THEREFOR, as amended
herein**

AMENDMENT

**Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed May 20, 2004, please amend the
above identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.